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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re application of: Dov ZIPORI et al.

Confirmation No.: 5156

Application No.: 10/643,982

Group Art Unit: 1644

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Examiner: M. Belyavskyi

For: IMMUNOGLOBULIN SUPERFAMILY  
VARIANTS EXPRESSED IN  
MESENCHYMAL CELLS AND  
THERAPEUTIC USES THEREOF

Attorney Docket No.: 85189-5000

**AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed May 30, 2006, Applicants respectfully request entry of the following amendments and remarks into the file of this application.

**Amendments to the Specification** appear herein starting on page 2.

**Amendments to the Claims** appear herein starting on page 3.

**Remarks** discussing the amendments to the claims appears herein starting on page 7.

A declaration under 37 C.F.R. § 1.132 is enclosed.

No fee is believed to be due for this submission. Should any other fees be required, including a fee for any extension of time necessary to submit a timely response, please charge such fees to **Winston & Strawn LLP** Deposit Account No. 50-1814.